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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tetsuro MOTOYAMA et al.

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EXAMINER:

FOR: REMOTE SYSTEM USAGE MONITORING WITH FLEXIBLE ENCODING AND DECODING OBJECTS

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